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For: Evaporator, especially a respiratory
humidifier, storage tank and casing
therefor

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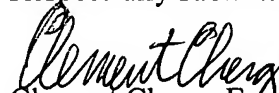
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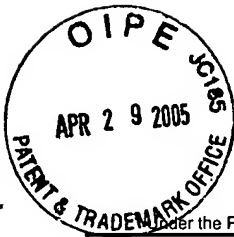
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